1	2	3	4	5
8वीं योजना (31.3.93 की स्थिति के अनुसार)	50745	70	19569	27
(31.3.94 की स्थिति के अनुसार)	54347	70.8	20366	26.6
8वीं योजना के अंतिम वर्ष में 20729.7 मे०वा० की सम्भावित क्षमता अभिवृद्धि समेत (31.3.97) की स्थिति के अनुसार)	63714	71.3	22993	25.7

अलीगढ़ में आकाशवाणी केन्द्र

*31. मौलाना अबैदुल्ला खान आजमी : क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) सरकार ने प्रारंभ में अलीगढ़ में एक रेडियो स्टेशन स्थापित करने का प्रस्ताव किस वर्ष किया था ;

(ख) इस मामले में अब तक क्या प्रगति हुई है ; और

(ग) इस संबंध में देरी के क्या कारण हैं ?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री के० पी० सिंह देव) : (क) अलीगढ़ में एक रेडियो स्टेशन स्थापित करने से संबंधित प्रस्ताव 1985 में शुरू किया गया था।

(ख) और (ग) 1994 में सिविल निर्माण कार्य सौंपा जा चुका है और निर्माण कार्य प्रगति पर है। इस संबंध में हुई देरी का मुख्य कारण स्थल के अधिग्रहण में लिया गया अधिक समय और बाद में इस संबंध में हुई मुकदमेबाजी है।

Direct link between Calcutta and Agartala

*32. SHRI SUDHIR RANJAN MAJUMDAR: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:. .

(a) whether Government are aware that Tripura has only the Indian Air lines as the direct link between Calcutta and Agartala;

(b) if so, whether it is a fact that the further hike in air fare has put the people of this poor State into further hardship and raised the prices of commodities;

(c) whether Government have given any though to this problem of increased hardship for the landlocked people of the State who do not have any dependable surface communication link;

(d) whether Government will consider giving some relief to the people of the State to the extent that the fresh hike will not be effective for Tripura; and

(e) whether Hon'ble Minister has ever visited Agartala to know the reality of the problem of transport in that State?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHU-LAM NABI AZAD): (.a) No, Sir. In addition to Indian Airlines Vayudoot Ltd. also operate on Calcutta-Agartala sector.

(b) and (c) Domestic air *fact* in India is-one of the lowest in the world. Fare *in* the Calcatta-Agartala sector is about 22 per cent lower than the fares on comparative sector in other parts of the country.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Government is aware of the problem of transport in the State of Tripura.

Progress report on power projects to U.S Government

*33. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA:

DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to send regular progress reports to the U. S. Government on power projects involving U.S. investment; and

(b) if so, what are the compulsions in sending such reports to the U. S. Government and what are the implications on the domestic power industry?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI N. K. P. SALVE): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Cable Television in Tamil Nadu

*34. SHRI VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI. Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to hind it;

(a), whether it is a fact that Cable Operators in Tamil Nadu have to register their names in the different offices as instructed by the State Government of Tamil Nadu as well as under the Cable T.V. Regulation Ordinance promulgated by' the Central Government;

. (b) if so, what is the rationable behind it.

(c) whether there is any monitoring agency to check the violation of Advertisement Code by the T.V.; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) No, Sir. Only the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Ordinance provides for registration of cable operators in the country. The Act enacted by the Government of Tamil Nadu provides for grant of licence only for exhibition of film on television screen through video cassette recorder or through cable television network.

(c) and (d) Doordarshan previews the advertisements to ensure that these do not violate any of the provisions of the provisions' of the Code for Commercial Advertising.

Financial assistance to sick industries in Gujarat and Maharashtra

35. SHRIMATI CHANDRIKA ABHTNANDAN IAIN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of financial assistance provided to sick units in Gujarat and Maharashtra during the last three years, year wise;

(b) what is the number of sick industries in the State alongwith the details thereof;

(c) whether proposals for providing financial assistance to sick industries are pending with Government as On date; and

(d) what are the reasons for the delay in respect of these proposals and by when the same are likely to be disposed of finally?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) and' (b) The date reporting system of the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) does not generate information in the manner asked for. However, RBI have reported that the number of sick small scale industrial (SSI) units and non-SSI units and outstanding credit of scheduled commercial banks during the last three years